



# 2006 Monarch Butterfly Festival

Saturday October 28  
9 a.m. - 4 p.m.

**St. Marks National Wildlife Refuge  
Visitor Center**

*\*75th Anniversary Booth*

*\*Crafts for Children*

*\*Live Butterfly Tent*

*\*People Tagging*

*\*Butterfly Plants for sale*

*\*Many Great Exhibitors*

*\*Slide Show and Walk*

*\*Monarch Tagging Demonstrations*

*A Great Event For Kids of All Ages*

**Behind the Gates Van Excursions All Day!**

Reservations necessary Call (850) 925-6121 to reserve your spot now!

**St. Marks National Wildlife Refuge**



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St. Marks, FL 32355

Phone: 850-925-6121

<http://www.fws.gov/saintmarks>



**St. Marks Refuge  
Association Bookstore**

8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. (M-F)

10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. (Sat. & Sun.)

# Monarch Butterfly Festival 2006 – Events and Activities

**Date:** Saturday Oct. 28, 2006      **Times:** 9 a.m. – 4 p.m.

## *Featured Exhibitors:*

**Migration and Way Station** Learn about monarch butterflies and their amazing ability to migrate through the Gulf coast to Mexico and how you can establish a “monarch way station”.

**Tagging Station** Demonstration of tagging and release of live monarch butterflies (if available) down at the lighthouse parking lot.

**People Tagging Station** Are you migrating too? Come by the “People” tagging booth near the cabin and get tagged and measured.

**Creative Butterfly Crafts** Children of all ages will enjoy making crafts featuring our special butterflies! By the cabin and the lighthouse.

**Live Butterfly Tent** Walk among free-flying butterflies in our screened tent!

**History of St. Marks National Wildlife Refuge** Help us celebrate our 75<sup>th</sup> Anniversary! Learn about the history of the refuge, what animals live here, what you can do at the refuge, what events are coming up, and what you can do for the refuge.

**Exhibitors** Many great exhibitors too numerous to list, come check them out!

## *Special Features & Guided Tours*

**Slide Show by the North American Butterfly Association (NABA)** Join naturalist/photographer Billy Boothe in the cabin for the slide presentation on local butterflies and learn more about this special organization. 10 a.m. and 1 p.m.

**Guided Butterfly Walks** Following the slide presentations, interested visitors will meet at the cabin and follow a guide to the hiking location for a butterfly walk. You are encouraged to bring Binoculars.

**Guided Van Tours** There will be 8 – one hour tours by Betsy Kellenberger and Ken Clineman. Call 850/925-6121 for times and to make reservations.

## *For Sale*

**Butterfly T-shirts and gifts in the Visitor Center Bookstore** Wonderful butterfly items, special festival T-shirts, books and gifts. Open 9 a.m. – 5 p.m.

**Native Plants on Sale by Local Nurseries**

***\*\*Regular Refuge Entrance Fees Apply***